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Rations - Italian Troops From Greece + France

NOV. 1944 - MAY 1945

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TRANSLATION

FROM : Ministry of War

9992/S/1

TO : MMIA (in reply to ST/62/7
of 30 Jan).

14 May 45

SUBJECT:- "BALK" ration issue notes.

In regard to your request in (3) of your letter ST/62/7 of 30/1/1945, we beg to inform you that the recovery of the 164 rations erroneously drawn as "BALK" type from the 3rd Rest Camp at Roccaforzata (Taranto) has been completed.

On the same date the rations were handed over to the 51st Distribution Depot at Taranto.

Sgt. Col. Basile
Inspector General

¹⁴S & T, MMA.

Reed

File STJ

Anna.

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25th Nov

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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA
Dipartimento Generale dei Servizi Logistici



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MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE SERVIZI COMMISSARIATO ED AMMINISTRATIVI

Divisione Sussistenze

Sezione I[^]
Prot. N° 9992/B/1 Allegati
Risposta al f.° del
Div. Sez. N°

Roma P.M. 3800, 11 MAR 1945

AI LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

R C M A

OGGETTO: Buoni prelevamento tipo "BALK"

In relazione a quanto richiesto nel n.3 del foglio
SI/62/7 del 30/1/1945 si informa che in data 14 marzo
c.a. è stato ultimato il recupero delle 164 razioni er-
roneamente prelevate come tipo "BALK" dal Centro Allog-
gio n.3 di Roccaforzata (Taranto).

Le razioni recuperate sono state sotto la medesima
data versate al 51° Magazzino Presidiario Viveri di Ta-
ranto.

p.IL DIRETTORE GENERALE a.p.s.

L'ISPEITORE GENERALE

TRANSLATION.

SERIAL No

Translated by: W. R. Luskman.

Date : 15 May

FROM : Imm of base

Ref No : 9992/S/1

Date : 14 May.

TO : MMIA
(Info/Action)

In reply to : ST/62/7 of
30 Jan

SUBJECT:- "Balk" ration issue noted.

In regard to your request in (3) of your letter ST/62/7 of 30/1/1945, we beg to inform you that the recovery ~~has~~ of the 164 ^{ration} ~~been~~ ^{completed} erroneously drawn as "Balk" type from the 3rd Recor Camp at Roccafozara (Taranto) has been completed.

On the same date the rations were handed over to the 51st Distribution Depot at Taranto.

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Col Basile
Inspector General

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Subject :- Repayment of Rations:
ROCCAFORZATA CAMP.

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
c/o HQ 52 Area
TLO/26

To : Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.M.I.A.) FOLB

16 Mar 45

Reference your ST/62/7 dated 1 Mar 45.

1. It will be observed, from attached copy of Commissariato, TARANTO's letter 1940 dated 15 Mar 45, that the outstanding 164 Rations have now been repaid to Distribution Depot, TARANTO.
2. MMIA Form, ST/5 has been completed.
Your signal ST/780 of 15 MAR, also refers.

HH
E.L. Momen-Masum
Cent. A.A.S.C.
Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (MMIA) 52 Area

*S & T. MMIA

Recd 19 hours

File ST/ 62/7

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SC WMAE 19/3
ML

UFFICIO AUTONOMO DE COMMISSAR TO TITARE

= T A P A N T O =

Nº 1040 di prot.

Taranto 15 marzo 1945

AL MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA P. G. S. G. M.

- Divisione Sussistenze -

P. M. 3800

a, per conoscenza :

LC. LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION A.C.

(R.B.I.A.) c/o

HQ 52 AREA

AL CAMPO ALLOGGIO Nº 3

ROCCAFORTAZZA

OGGETTO: Buoni di prelievemento tino "RILEX"

Risposta dismissione N. 200/S/1 del 15 febbraio 1945.

Sotto la data del 14 corrente il Centro Alloggio Nº 3 di Roccafortazza (TARANTO) ha ultimato il recupero delle note 164 razioni viveri e vane ed ha provveduto, sotto la medesima data, al versamento dei relativi quantitativi viveri (farina in luogo di vane) presso il 51° Magazzino Viveri Presidiario di Taranto.

Il recupero delle razioni ha avuto luogo, in gran parte, mediante acquisti di commercio, su assegnazione della SUPRAL, ed in minima parte, mediante opportune economie operate sulle razioni militari prelevate dal Reparto in queste ultime distribuzioni.

IL MAGGIOR COME/RIO CAMPO UFFICIO
(NICOLA CARCANO)

TRANSLATION

On 14 Mar No 3 Transit Camp ROCCAFORTAZZA concludes the recovery of the 164 rations of food and bread to 51 Magazzino Presidiario Viveri TARANTO (giving flour instead of bread). Recovery was made chiefly by local purchase through SUPRAL and in

OGGETTO:

Buoni di prelievemento tiro "BALK"

Risposta dissenso n. 200/S/1 del 15 febbraio 1945.

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(NICOLA CARCANO)

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MESSAGE FORM.

FROM : MMIA

TO : 52 AREA

ST/780

15 1755 .A.

RESTRICTED

FOR MMIA LO (.) REF OUR ST/62/7 OF 1 MARCH 45 (.) EXPEDITE REPORT ON PROGRESS

(ST/62/7)

PRECEDENCE

Routine

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AUTHENTICATION

Winkham
Capt

LT. COL.

BT - 21 March

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SUBJECT:- Repayment of Rations erroneously
drawn by ROCCAFORZATA Camp.

Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/62/7

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Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (M.M.I.A.).
52 Area

1 Mar Feb 45.

Further to this Hq's letter (same reference) to War
Ministry (copy to you) dated 30 Jan 45.

1. Will you please report progress.

HDC/DC

ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC. (M.M.I.A.).
Lt. Col. RASC.

102. ~~7th~~
~~15 March~~

Reply 47 (reminder)
at 44 671

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TRANSLATION.

SERIAL No

Translated by: Lt. J. J. M. Horlick.

Date : 14 Jan. 45.

FROM: W/M Comm/to.

Ref No : 776/S/1

Supplies Branch.

Date : 12 Jan. 45.

TO : MMIA

In reply to :

(11/11/ Action)

SUBJECT: "BALK" Ration issue notes.

This follows letter No 13082/S/1 of 30 Nov. 44.

H.Q. ROCCAFCRZATA Transit and Isolation Camp, while informing us that it had up to now seen to the recovery of 336 rations out of the 500 erroneously drawn as "BALK" type, has informed us of the difficulty of proceeding to the recovery of the remaining 164 rations, due to the fact that at the moment the strength in rations does not exceed, and will not exceed in the near future 20 men and that, therefore, on such a minute number all possibility of recovering the above rations is to be ruled out.

Taking what is written above into consideration, we suggest to you the possibility of kindly issuing instructions for the cancelling of the order to recover the 164 rations.

(Signed) PIETRO BASILE, Col.
Inspector of Commissariat Services.
for The Director General.

"S & T, MMIA.

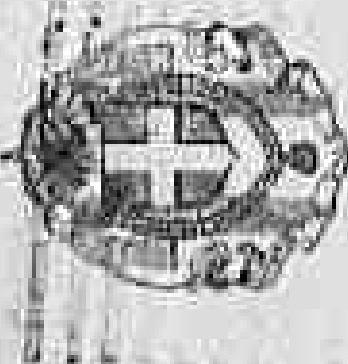
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Ministero della Guerra
DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

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A. S. P. 746/S/16 Sped.
Allegato

Z. XP. N. 3800 12 Genn. 1945

LA LAND FORCES SUB COMMISSION

A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

R O M A

Aspetta al Toglio

OGGETTO : buoni di prelevamento "BALK".-

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Si fa seguito al dispaccio n°13082/S/1 del 30 Nov. 1944.-

Il Comando Campo Sosta e Contumacia di Roccaforzata, nell'informare di aver provveduto sinora al recupero di 336 razioni sulle 500 erroneamente prelevate come tipo "BALK", ha rappresentato la difficoltà di procedere al recupero delle rimanenti 164 razioni, per il fatto che attualmente la forza vettovagliata non supera, nè supererà nel tratto avvenire i 20 uomini e che, pertanto, su tale esiguo numero è da escludere ogni possibilità di recupero delle predette razioni.-

In considerazione di quanto sopra esposto, si prospetta a codesta Sottocommissione l'opportunità di voler cortesemente impartire disposizioni per la revoca dell'ordine di recupero delle 164 razioni.-

P. IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

L'ISPETT/ DEI SERV. DI COMMISSARIATO MIL.

(Col. ff.g.s. PIETRO BASILE)

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P. IL DIRETTORE GENERALE

L'ISPETT/ DEI SERV. DI COMANDO MIL.

(Col. ff.g.s.PIETRO BASILE)

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2.1/c.

Ref attached

1. Food Sub Commission advise that the civil ration for prisoners in penal establishments and returning PsW is as follows:-

Bread	300	gms	per	day
Dried Veg	100	"	"	"
Soup	100	"	"	"
Sugar	8.3	"	"	"
Bouillon	1	cube	per	day
Olive Oil	The current normal consumers scale.			

2. It is a meagre ration and I cannot comment on the equity of a felon and a repatriated P.W. receiving the same ration, albeit it is a temporary measure.

3. The disparity between this scale and the scale 30 issued at Taranto is so great as to justify further exploration.

4. It is a 'Q' Staff matter at this stage. Will you initiate further action?

Dec 44.
BLP/dvw

Lt.Col.
A.D.S.T.

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SUBJECT:- Food for Hospital Patients.

Land Forces Sub Comm.AC.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/62/7

22 Dec 44.

LO
Land Forces Sub Comm.AC.
(M.M.I.A.)
54 Area

19.
Reference your ST/10 dated 19 Dec 44

1. This HQ has no objection to the issuing of rations against the signature of the Hospital Commandant.

PG/nc

B.L. Perceval
B.L. PERCEVAL.
Lt.Col. RASC.
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. AC.(M.M.I.A.).

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Subject: Food for Hospital Patients

ST
21/12
Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm.
A.C. (M.M.I.A.)
C/o 54 Area
ST/10
19 Dec 44.

To: HQ, Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C. (M.M.I.A.)

Inclosed herewith letter from MMIA LO C/o 52 Area.

We will accomplish the mentioned requisitions. This office should be notified if there is any objections to issuing rations against the signature of the Hospital Commandant as we have no check as to the authenticity of the signed Bed State.

Geo C Guthrie
Geo; C. Guthrie, Capt.
for Senior M.M.I.A. L.O.
C/o 54 Area

GCG/baw

"S & T, MMIA.

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Dec 22
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C O P Y

Subject:- Repatriates from Greece: Hospital Patients.

TO: MMIA LO 54 Area

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm.A.C.(MMIA)
c/o HQ 52 Area
TLO/19

1. One of the hospitals to which patients from B Compound, St ANDREWS CAMP, are sent, is GIOIA DEL COLLE.
2. Such patients are entitled to receive British rations on scale 30 (Authority AFHQ Fx 50445 dated 9 Nov 44).
3. Hitherto this hospital has drawn form 38 DID here:
an officer calls at my office with a bed state, certified by the Commandant of the Hospital. The officer signs the ration indent, which is prepared in my office, and I counter sign it. The indent contains a certificate that rations demanded are for patients from Greece or the Balkans only.
4. The Hospital now wished to draw from a DID at BARI, owing to transport difficulties.
5. Will you please confirm that the above procedure can henceforth take place through your office, and also inform Col. FELSANI at H.Q. APULIA and LUCANIA.

13 Dec 44

S/ W.H.S. CRAWFORD
Capt R.A.S.C.
Senior Liaison Officer - TARANTO

Copy to: HQ 54 Area ST

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Subject:- Issues by ITI Depots in error.

To: HQ MMIA

Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.C.
(M.M.I.A.)
c/o HQ 52 Area
TLO/6

1. Reference your ST/62/7 dated 9 Dec 44: this matter is being corrected by underdrawal by the camp concerned.
2. 164 rations remain to be repaid in this manner; the camp has not at present many people passing through it, so that the correction will take a little time.

18 Dec 44

Further from [unclear] @ 27/12
Wm. Lawford.
Capt. R.A.S.C.
Senior Liaison Officer -TARANTO.

S & T, MMIA.

Recd 21 Dec

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DRS *664*

SUBJECT:- Issues by ITI Depots in error.

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Liaison Officer
Land Forces Sub Comm. A.G.
(M.M.I.A.).
TARANPO.

Land Forces Sub Comm. A.G.
(M.M.I.A.).
ST/62/7

9 Dec 44.

15th (enc 12)

Copy of War Ministry letter 13082/S/1 dated 30 Nov 44 and
Forms ST/8 are attached and are self explanatory.

1. Please confirm that the action in para 3 of War Ministry
letter has been completed.

127/14 Dec
3 Jan 45.

ANL/jc

Sh. Gann maps

for B.L. PERCEVAL.
Lt. Col. RASC,
ADST, Land Forces Sub Comm. A.G.
(M.M.I.A.).

Further @ 27
from HQ
Refer at (18).

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TRANSLATION

Sen. Parnis 1/12/44

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ITALIAN WAR MINISTRY * COMMISSARIAT DIRECTORATE
sussistenza Division

TO : M.M.I.A. R ME
Info: War Ministry Cabinet

P.M. 151, 30 Nov. 44
rot. n. 13082/S/1

Subject : BALK Ration Issue Note.

1. We forward 3 Ration Issue Notes form A filled in by *Hq. Campo Sosta* Contumaciale n. 3 *Ma*.
2. With this occasion we inform you that the abovementioned Hq had mistaken a group of men taken by the Military Police in the immediate rear of the front line, for Military Personnel returned from the Balkans.
3. We can assure you that the abovementioned Hq is already returning to the Military Food Depot of *Taranto*, the rations that were erroneously collected and accounted on the attached A forms.

for THE MINISTERR
(Pelligra)

*S & T. MMIA.

Recd *V. D.*

File ST/ *62/12*

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Action 15

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Ministero della Guerra

DIREZIONE GENERALE
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

Divis. Sussistenze

Divisione
Prot. *3082/S/1* Allegati 3

P.M. 151 *30* nov. *41*

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LA LAND FORCES SUB
COMMISSION A.C. (MMIA)

OGGETTO Buoni di prelevamento "Balk"

e, per conoscenza:

AL MINISTERO GUERRA = GABINETTO = Uff. C.A.

ST
1/12
S E D E

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Si trasmettono n.3 buoni di prelevamento modello K compilati dal Comando Campo Sosta Contumaciale n.3.

Con l'occasione si rappresenta che il prefato Comando ha erroneamente scambiato un gruppo di militari rastrellati dalla Polizia Alleata nelle immediate retrovie del fronte per militari provenienti dalla Balcania.

Si assicura che è già in atto la restituzione, da parte del cennato Comando al Magazzino Militare Viveri di Taranto, del numero di razioni corrispondenti a quelle erroneamente prelevate e conteggiate sui modelli K allegati, contrassegnati con la sigla "BALK" depennata con la matita rossa.

P. IL MINISTRO

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SUBJECT:- Ration Scale 50.

Land Forces Sub Com. A.G.  
(M.H.I.A.).  
SZ/62/7

Dires. Gen. Commissariato,  
Italian War Ministry.

14 Nov 44.

Reference your 12575/3/1 dated 11 Nov 44.

1. Herewith is forwarded copy of Ration Scale 50, as requested by you.
2. This scale has been authorised by AFHQ for the purpose of issue to Repatriates arriving in this country from the Balkans.

HIM/jc

Copy to:- A/G.

B.L. FERNANDEZ,  
Lt. Col. RMG,  
ADST, Land Forces Sub Com. A.G.  
(M.H.I.A.).

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30. RATION SCALE FOR ALLIED CIVILIAN ESCAPEES AND REFUGEES.

1. In areas where the British Army is operating, and no A.M.C. supplies are available, rations at the following scales may be issued, subject to prior approval from this H.Q., to Allied Civilian Escapees and Refugees.

(a) Persons over 7 years old.

| <u>Commodity.</u>                      | <u>Scale in ozs. per day.</u> |
|----------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| Bread                                  | 12                            |
| or Ruskits                             | 9                             |
| Meat Frozen (bone in)                  | 5                             |
| or Meat Frozen (boneless)              | 3 1/2                         |
| or Meat Preserved                      | 3 1/2                         |
| Vegetables, Fresh                      | 4                             |
| or Vegetables, Tinned                  | 1                             |
| and Beans, Canned                      | 1                             |
| Onions                                 | 2                             |
| or Onion Powder or Flakes              | 1/6                           |
| Potatoes, Fresh                        | 8                             |
| or Potatoes, Tinned plus               | 4                             |
| Macaroni                               | 1                             |
| or Flour                               | 1                             |
| Peas or Beans or Lentils (local dried) | 3                             |
| Macaroni                               | 4                             |
| or Flour                               | 4                             |
| Fruit, Fresh                           | 2                             |
| or Groundnuts (with shells)            | 2                             |
| or Fruit, Dried                        | 2/7                           |
| Sausage, Tinned                        | 1 3/5                         |
| Sugar                                  | 1                             |
| Tea                                    | 1/4                           |
| or Coffee                              | 3/4                           |
| Milk U.K. or Dominion Origin           | 1 3/5                         |
| or Milk, U.S.A.                        | 2                             |
| Jam                                    | 1                             |
| Cottonseed Oil                         | 1                             |
| Salt                                   | 1                             |
| Pepper                                 | 1/100                         |
| Mustard                                | 1/100                         |
| Fuelwood                               | 2 lbs.                        |
| or Coal                                | 1 lb.                         |

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*Ministero della Guerra*

DIREZIONE GENERALE  
DEI SERVIZI DI COMMISSARIATO MILITARE

- Divisione Sussistenze -

N. di Ordine 42375/S/1  
*Allegato*

OGGETTO: razione viveri n. 30.-  
Type 36 ration.

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P.M. 151

*11/11/41*

LA M.M.I.A.

ROMA

*Respett. al f. V.*  
*del*

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*ST/6247*  
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Per notizia di questo Ministero si  
gradirà conoscere la composizione della razio-  
ne viveri tipo 30 che è stata distribuita re-  
centemente dalle Autorità Alleate ai rimpatria-  
ti dalla <sup>B</sup>alcania.-

Si ringrazia. =

p. IL MINISTRO

*Reply 1/9*

*T. Cellig*

~~FORNITURA~~

For the information of this Ministry we would be  
grateful to know the composition of the 30 type ration which  
has been issued recently to the men home from the Balkans  
by the Allied Authorities.

We thank you in advance.

*11650*

*Sc 'S' - 82mm*

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Chief Clerk:- NOT REGISTERED.

"S & T, MIAA.

Reed 9/10/57

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ADSD

DAYS

COPY OF A TELEGRAM.

TO BARI COMMISSARIAT DIRECTORATE AND COPY TO COMMISSARIAT OFFICE TARANTO AND  
MONTECATINI DEPOT TARANTO

1727/D ADMINISTRATIVE SEE TO SENDING MOST URGENTLY 5700 TABLETS OF SOAP OR BARS OF SOAP  
TO THE MONTECATINI DEPOT TARANTO FOR REPATRIATED PRISONERS OF WAR (.) SEE TO IT AT  
ONCE (.) ACK (.) FOR THE MINISTER OF WAR PICCIRILLI

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# MINISTERO DELLA GUERRA

DIREZIONE GENERALE DEI SERVIZI AMMINISTRATIVI

Divisione ..... Sez. .... Roma, .....

Prot. N.° ..... Allegati .....

Risposta al f.° del .....

Div. .... Sez. .... N.° .....

OGGETTO:

C O P I A

## TELEGRAMMA

DIRECOMILES BARI PER CONOSCENZA UFFICIO AUTONOMO  
DIRECOMILES ET DEPOSITO MONTECATINI TARANTO  
1727/D AMMINISTRATIVI DISPONESI INVIO URGENTISSIMO  
5.700 PEZZI SAPONETTE AUT SAPONE AT MAGAZZINO  
MONTECATINI TARANTO PER PRIGIONIERI GUERRA  
RIMPATRIATI ALT PROVVEDERE SUBITO ALT ASSICURARE  
PROMINISTRO GUERRA PICCIRILLI.



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*copy (orig in AQ/10/1)*

ARMY FORM C2186 (Small)

Call \_\_\_\_\_ Srl. No. \_\_\_\_\_ Priority \_\_\_\_\_

MESSAGE FORM

Register No. \_\_\_\_\_

Transmission Instructions \_\_\_\_\_

ABOVE THIS LINE FOR SIGNAL'S USE ONLY

Office Date Stamp \_\_\_\_\_

FROM (A) DISTHREE EAST Date-Time of Origin 06 NOV.

For Action \_\_\_\_\_

Message Instructions \_\_\_\_\_ GR GR

TO MMIA (W) For Information (INFO)

Originator's No. Q160 CONF20 YOUR AQ2141 DATED 050

ARRANGEMENTS HAVE BEEN MADE FOR ISSUE OF RATIONS

FROM DID IN NORMAL WAY 0

"S & T" MAY BE SENT AS WRITTEN IF LIABLE TO BE INTERCEPTED OR TO ORIGINATOR'S INSTRUCTIONS  
BY ANY MEANS EXCEPT WIRELESS MESSAGE MUST BE SENT IN CIPHER

Read 08 NOV

File ST 62/7

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SUBJECT:- Ballance Staw.

Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.  
(M.H.I.A.).  
05/11/7

7 Nov 14.

Diras. Gen. Comissariats,  
Italian War Ministry.

Copy to:- Liaison Officer  
Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.  
(M.H.I.A.).  
TARANTO.

In confirmation of telephone conversation (Lt. Col.  
FISCHER - Lt. HENRIK) of this morning date, 7 Nov 14.

1. You are requested to make available immediately  
sufficient Ballance Staw at TARANTO for 5000 Repatriated  
Personnel.

E. L. Mmin. Mmin  
Capt

B. L. PRINGVAL  
Lt. Col. RAGC,  
ADST, Land Forces Sub Com. A.C.  
(M.H.I.A.).

KIV/jc

Copy to SS/62/7 ←

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